Nirvana 11/22/76 1½ hr - Downing Sprague
Jerry Policoff who is writing a JFK book
Sprague: to be impartial you have presumption — Which claim critics could have done any work in here any knowledge
"News media's responsibility not to come out with wild stories
Don't attack the credibility of the committee" - Sprague
Reporter is to be responsible to report & critique
He & Downing criticize media for accurate reporting of what
the committee said - over ex destruction of records
Sprague says HSC should not have aired story on Rex
depository autopsy even if it was true "because it would hurt
at back Sprague reached over & said something to Downing
who waved him down with several hand gestures
Downing attributes all Felt info on JFK & "newspapers"
Second Critics David Bunker NYT Jack Nelson LA Times
W. Policoff Bunker says Sprague will find "not much" & that only from
"Cubans & Russians" & would be "an assessment" by the committee —
which assessment. Of course why not cooperate?
Nelson agrees with W.C. & on story on King - official story - any claim
now only by way of new evidence has come to light C.P. meetings
Enough now to say "I disagree" and to stop there
McMillan/King segment beginning marked with arrow - watch
Dr. Norman Tavenner D.C. shrink
McM says people that King never said he did not kill King
& that he'd be angry if anyone said it to him

2) Mr McLean worked for NBC "on the Dallas assassination."
Underwear found in car not too small for Ray
Misrepresents Mr Bonnell testimony Endorses Weisberg
"his brother who was actually involved in several bank
robberies"
Says "on his way to Rhodesia when he thought he had a contract to run"
Can't answer why some-suspicious that person would commit a
"Raoul"
Ft + Pinch say "he didn't talk to anybody" - Alex-even they say
"This new investigation is a tragedy"